

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY BANGKOK

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2218

INFO AMEMBASSY ROME

AMCONSUL CHIANGMAI

UNCLAS BANGKOK 5614

E. O. 11652 N/A

TAGS: EARH TH

SUBJECT: OPRED ESTABLISHMENT OF ARS UNIT IN CHIANGMAI

REF: STATE 045942

PASS AGRICULTURE- ARS

1. REQUEST DATE MANIS EXPECTED TO ARRIVE THAILAND. ALL QUESTIONS REGARDING STOPS AND FINANCING BOTH FROM WASHINGTON AND BANGKOK HAVE NOW BEEN ANSWERED.

2. OFFICIAL VEHICLE-- DO NOT RECOMMEND LEFT HAND DRIVE CARRYALL FOR FOLLOWING REASONS (1) LEFT HAND DRIVE IS DANGEROUS, (2) CARRYALL IS TOO LARGE FOR MANY OF THE MOUNTAIN ROADS AND TRAILS.

3. A NUMBER OF LAND ROVERS FROM SHORT WHEEL BASE TO LARGE 4 DOORSIZE AVAILABLE. PRICE RANGES ARE FROM \$4,955 TO \$6,628 MINUS 10 PERCENT DISCOUNT. DELIVERY TIME 4 TO 6 MONTHS. DO NOT CONSIDER FRONT WINCH A REQUIREMENT AND COST IS \$893 ADDITIONAL. FREIGHT AND

INCIDENTAL CHARGES ARE ESTIMATED AT \$306 FROM SINGAPORE. UNGER

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